

BEFORE
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF
SOUTH CAROLINA
DOCKET NO. 92-186-E - ORDER NO. 92-284 ✓
APRIL 16, 1992

IN RE: Duke Power Company - Application)	ORDER APPROVING
for Approval of the Water Heater)	WATER HEATER
Insulating Blanket Pilot Program.)	INSULATING BLANKET
)	PILOT PROGRAM

This matter is before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the Commission) on Duke Power Company's (Duke's or the Company's) request for approval of its Water Heater Insulating Blanket Pilot Project. Duke states the purpose of the pilot project is to encourage the installation of water heater thermal blankets in the residential market and, thereby, reduce the energy losses associated with low levels of insulation. Duke asserts this pilot project will allow it to test the program components and to determine the impact of target marketing on customer acceptance. Duke states that if this program becomes a full scale Demand Side Management program, it will request deferred accounting for eligible costs.

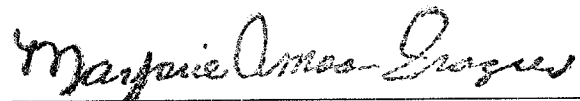
Upon consideration of the representations in its request, the Commission finds that the water heater insulating blanket pilot project would benefit Duke's customers and that the project should be approved. Accordingly, the Commission hereby approves the program, effective April 7, 1992.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. Duke's Water Heater Insulating Blanket Pilot Project is hereby approved, effective April 7, 1992 in accordance with the terms of its request.

2. Duke shall file fifteen (15) copies of its tariff for this project within fourteen (14) days of the date of this Order.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:


Chairman

ATTEST:


Executive Director

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